

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2006**, upon the application of **SANDALWOOD EXPLORATION, LP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Alliance Zone, Reservoir E**, in the Kaplan Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Alliance Zone, Reservoir E.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Alliance Zone, Reservoir E.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate a unit operator of, and unit well for, the proposed unit as may be appropriate.
5. To provide that future wells drilled to the Alliance Zone within or outside of the unit proposed herein be located in accordance with the provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
6. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the Alliance Zone, Reservoir E, by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner of Conservation.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Alliance Zone, Reservoir E, is defined as that interval encountered between the measured depths of 12,563' and 13,220' in the Southern States Exploration, Inc. (formerly Martin Exploration Co.)-Marceaux No. 1 Well, located in Section 22, Township 12 South, Range 1 East, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.